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We still have a slight hang-up on the definition. Guidance, page A-3 defines it such that individual must have authored one peer reviewed scientific publication on the area or species of concern. Barry and I have our RFP out and it appears that most of the environmental firms have ecologists who are wetlands delineators, who have not published, but have completed many delineations. Your input would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

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